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Case No. 9682/260

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Satoru ADACHI et al.

Examiner: An, Shawn S.

Serial No: 10/671,527

Group Art Unit: 2621

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For: VIDEO ENCODING METHOD, VIDEO
DECODING METHOD, VIDEO
ENCODING APPARATUS, VIDEO
DECODING APPARATUS, VIDEO
ENCODING PROGRAM, AND VIDEO
DECODING PROGRAM

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated November 15, 2007 for a period of 1 month(s).

Applicant is: ☐ small entity (per 37 CFR 1.27) ☒ other than small entity

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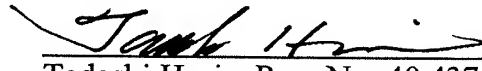
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Respectfully submitted,

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